# **House District 19 Representative**

# **Genevieve G. Mina, Registered Democrat**



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**AGE**: 26

OCCUPATION: Program Director

LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 26 years

#### **ALASKAN COMMUNITIES LIVED IN:**

Anchorage 1996-Present Juneau 2017, 2021-22 (part-time)

### **EDUCATION:**

East High School, 2010-2014
Biological Sciences and Political Science, UAA 2014-2018 (Varsity Seawolf Debater, left without degree)

## POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:

Legislative Aide - Alaska Legislature Assembly Aide - Municipality of Anchorage President - Alaska Young Democrats Delegate - 2016 Democratic National Convention

#### **BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS:**

Program Director - Build Back Better, Alaska, North Star Group LLC

Communications Specialist - Alaska Primary Care Association

#### **SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS MEMBERSHIPS:**

The Alaska Center, Alaska Public Interest Research Group, Airport Heights Community Council, Alaska Women Ascend, Alaska Asian Pacific Island Desi Americans (AKAPIDA); Previous: Municipality of Anchorage Public Transit Advisory Board

# **SPECIAL INTERESTS:**

Birding, biking, thrift shopping, painting, pop culture, volunteering, reading, podcasts, karaoke

#### OTHER:

I'm a proud daughter of Filipino immigrants who bought their first home in Airport Heights. I grew up in my family's assisted living homes while attending our local public schools. I love Alaska dearly and I can't imagine living anywhere else.

#### STATEMENT:

Over the past seven years, I've dedicated my career to bridging policy and people. As a political aide specializing in health policy, I helped research and pass Representative Ivy Spohnholz's bipartisan legislation to permanently expand telehealth in Alaska - a historic reform to Alaska's health care system. I am taking the next step to serve our state by bridging policymakers together in the Alaska Legislature.

Although budget cuts and political dysfunction have forced far too many to leave the state, I know that there's a future here -- just like my parents did when they sacrificed everything to live in Alaska. In this pivotal moment, we deserve leaders who will listen to working people and commit to pushing our state forward. In the Alaska Legislature, I'll bring a fresh, vibrant voice to cross divisions and make sure that public policy is truly helping Alaskans.

My priorities are:

- Protect the Permanent Fund, PFD, and balance the budget
- Reduce health care costs and strengthen behavioral health access
- Fund public schools, universal pre-K, and the University of Alaska system
- Improve neighborhood safety, public transportation, and increase affordable housing
- · Support local business and grow Alaska's workforce
- Invest in renewable energy and climate resilience

As a lifelong resident of House District 19, it would be an honor to represent Mountain View, Russian Jack, and Airport Heights and champion our diverse neighborhoods as your next State House Representative.

Thank you for your vote.

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